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13	FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
14	GREGORY L. SULLIVAN and KOJI	Case No. C 12-1922 MEJ
15	FUJITA,	REQUEST FOR PLAINTIFF KOJI FUJITA TO APPEAR AT
16	Plaintiffs,	MANDATORY SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE VIA TELEPHONE
17	VS.	ORDER
18	CITY OF SAN RAFAEL, a government	Settlement Conference Date: August 12, 2013
19	entity; SAN RAFAEL POLICE DEPARTMENT, a government entity; RYAN	Time: 10:00 a.m. Court: Courtroom C, 15 th Floor
20	DEMARTA, individually, RYAN COGBILL, individually; and DOES 1 to 100,	Settlement Conference Judge:
21		Hon. Laurel Beeler
22	Defendants.	Trial Date: October 28, 2013
23	Plaintiff KOII FIJITA hereby requests	that the court excuse his personal attendance at
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25	the mandatory settlement conference in the above-entitled action set for August 12, 2013 in	
26	Courtroom C, 15 th Floor, with United States Magistrate Judge Laurel Beeler. Mr. Fujita requests	
27	that the court allow him to attend the settlement conference via telephone because persona	
28	REQUEST FOR TELEPHONIC APPEARANCE BY PARTY AT	1 U.S. DISTRICT COURT, CASE NO. Case No. C 12-1922

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attendance would cause him an extraordinary and unjustified hardship due to his current medical condition.

On August 12, 2013, Mr. Fujita will be undergoing chemotherapy and the trip from his home in San Rafael to the courtroom in San Francisco will create an unnecessary hardship. His co-plaintiff and partner, Greg Sullivan, will be present in person at the settlement conference and Mr. Fujita will be available via telephone as necessary throughout the entire conference as required.

Dated: July 25, 2013

Date: August 7, 2013

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